



Key Areas of Learning

As **Scientists** we will be learning about states of matter—solids, liquids and gases. We will continue to develop our scientific skills by setting up fair tests and taking and analysing results. We will be creating potions, making predictions and conclusions about the reactions that happen.

English

Reading

We will be looking at *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone*.

Writing

We will be looking at writing descriptions of settings and characters, creating a vivid image for the reader.

Spelling and Grammar

We will have a weekly spelling lesson and cover aspects of grammar in our English lessons. This will include looking at fronted adverbials and expanded noun phrases this term.

Mathematics

Number

We will be looking at negative numbers, including in the context of temperatures. We will be doing further work on decimal numbers, including hundredths and also looking at the links with fractions. We will do some more work on division too.

Shape and Space

We will be looking at area and perimeter and properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

Computing

Coding

We will be continuing with coding, working towards coding our own games. We will be looking at using different inputs and outputs, coding sequences and breaking down a problem into smaller parts.

Music

We will be working on hearing the beat in music and counting in time to music. We will explore the importance of keeping in time and how beats vary in different pieces of music.

British Values

Mutual Respect

We will be focused on the value of Mutual Respect, linking in with our school value for the term of happiness and our PSHE work focusing on relationships.

Physical Education

Hockey and Athletics

For PE this term we will have some coaches coming in to deliver some hockey sessions with the children. Mr Cobb will also be continuing his athletics PE lessons. PE will be on **Mondays** and **Wednesdays** as usual.

French

The Body and Fairy Tales

This term in French, we will be learning the French for parts of the body. We will then be looking at French fairy tales.

SMSC

Spiritual, moral, social and cultural awareness

This will be linked to RE and our school values. This term our school value is **happiness**.

Religious Education

Did Jesus really do miracles?

We will be exploring miracles of Jesus and evaluating them from the view of a believer and a sceptic.

PSHE

Relationships

In PSHE this term we will be looking at working together. We will also look at taking responsibility and making amends.

Enrichment Wow Day

Potion Making

We will be creating potions with various effects. We are also looking forward to our Harry Potter trip shortly after half-term and a Harry Potter WOW day later in the year.